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SUBJECT: TANGOV REQUEST FOR US HELP IN IMPROVING KENYAN ATTITUDE
TOWARD SEYCHELLES

REF: DAR ES SALAAM 2131

1. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE IS WILL BE GOING TO SEYCHELLES
WITHIN TWO WEEKS. DURING MY STAY THERE I EXPECT TO HAVE
AMPLE OPPORTUNITY FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH PRESIDENT RENE ON
WIDE RANGE OF ISSUES. I HAVE ALREADY BEEN INFORMED THAT
PRESIDENT HAS INDICATED THAT HE WILL RAISE WITH ME THE
SUBJECT OF KENYA-SEYCHELLES RELATIONS. SHOULD HE ASK
FOR USG TO USE ITS GOOD OFFICES WITH GOK I WILL RECOMMEND
TO DEPARTMENT THAT I BE AUTHORIZED TO TAKE UP ISSUES
INVOLVED WITH FONMIN WAIYAKI.

2. AFTER SPEAKING WITH EMBASSY VICTORIA THIS MORNING
I THINK IT IS PRUDENT THAT I TAKE NO ACTION UNTIL I HAVE
HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER DIRECTLY WITH
RENE. KENYA-SEYCHELLES RELATIONS HAVE, AS WE KNOW,
BEEN CURIOUSLY SOUR SINCE COUP LAST JUNE. FURTHERMORE,
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I BELIEVE THAT OUR RELATIONS WITH RENE GOVERNMENT
ARE EXCELLENT AND THAT THIS REQUEST SHOULD BE MADE TO
US DIRECTLY RATHER THAN THROUGH THIRD COUNTRY.

3. SUGGEST THAT AMBASSADOR SPAIN BE AUTHORIZED TO TELL
FONMIN MKAPA THAT WE APPRECIATE TANGOV'S INTEREST IN
THIS MATTER AND THAT I WILL BE IN SEYCHELLES AT END OF

MAY, AND LOOK FORWARD TO WIDE RANGING DISCUSSIONS WITH
PRESIDENT RENE WHICH IN ALL PROBABILITY WILL INCLUDE
KENYA-SEYCHELLES RELATIONS.
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